



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : SWANSON, BRIAN DOUGLAS  
SERIAL NO : 10/767,558  
FILED : January 29, 2004  
TITLE : INBRED MAIZE LINE PH6WG

Grp./A.U. : 1638  
Examiner : KRUSE, DAVID H.  
Conf. No. : 5080  
Docket No. : P06277US01 - 1329C

**AMENDMENT, REQUEST AND FEE TO ADD NAMES OF INVENTOR OF  
INVENTION ORIGINALLY DISCLOSED AND NOW BEING CLAIMED  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.48(c))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Mail Stop Amendment  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

1. This amendment and request under 37 C.F.R. 1.48(c) is to add the name of the following person as an inventor who is an inventor of the invention now being claimed:

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Stephen W. Noble, Jr.  
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The originally filed claims were claims 1-10. An Amendment is being submitted herewith.


2. The addition of Stephen W. Noble, Jr. as an inventor is necessitated as he was inadvertently omitted and the addition is being made without any deceptive intent. Attached is a declaration by Stephen W. Noble, Jr..

3. Attached is a Declaration by each of the inventors.

4. Attached is a written consent of the Assignee of the originally named inventors.

Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$130.00 for this Petition. No other fees or extensions of time are believed to be due in connection with this amendment; however, consider this a request for any inadvertently omitted, and charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 26-0084.

Respectfully submitted,



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**DECLARATION OF INVENTORS IN SUPPORT OF AMENDMENT, REQUEST TO  
ADD NAMES OF INVENTOR OF INVENTION ORIGINALLY DISCLOSED AND NOW  
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1. I have reviewed the application filed on January 29, 2004 as well as the  
Amendment to be filed herewith.

2. The originally filed application and Amendment necessitates that Stephen W.  
Noble, Jr. be added as an inventor as the Amendment claims subject matter originally disclosed  
in the application, and the addition is being made without any deceptive intent.

June 23, 2005  
Date

Stephen W. Noble, Jr.  
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7/11/2005  
Date

Brian Douglas Swanson  
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Date

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**ASSENT OF ASSIGNEE OF ANY ORIGINALLY NAMED INVENTOR IN SUPPORT  
OF AMENDMENT, REQUEST AND FEE TO ADD NAMES OF INVENTOR OF  
INVENTION ORIGINALLY DISCLOSED AND NOW BEING CLAIMED**

The rights in the invention have been assigned to Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.

Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc. consents to the addition of Stephen W. Noble, Jr. as an  
inventor in the above-identified application.

July 11, 2005  
Date

Steven Callistein  
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Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.